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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR, NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH Notice of Meeting

Pursuant to section 10(a) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. App.), notice is

hereby given of a meeting hosted by the Scientific Management Review Board.

The NIH Reform Act of 2006 (Public Law 109-482) provides organizational authorities to HHS and NIH

officials to: (1) establish or abolish national research institutes; (2) reorganize the offices within the Office

of the Director, NIH including adding, removing, or transferring the functions of such offices or

establishing or terminating such offices; and (3) reorganize, divisions, centers, or other administrative

units within an NIH national research institute or national center including adding, removing, or

transferring the functions of such units, or establishing or terminating such units. The purpose of the

Scientific Management Review Board (also referred to as SMRB or Board) is to advise appropriate HHS

and NIH officials on the use of these organizational authorities and identify the reasons underlying the

recommendations.

The meeting will be open to the public through teleconference at the number listed below.

Name of Committee: Scientific Management Review Board

Date:

March 19, 2013

Time:

11:00 AM to 1:00 PM

Agenda:

The meeting will focus on the findings and recommendations of the SBIR/STTR Working Group. The full Board will review and vote on the draft report from the Working Group. Time will be allotted on the agenda for public comment. Further information for this meeting, including the agenda, will be available at http://smrb.od.nih.gov. To sign up for public comment, please submit your name and affiliation to the contact person listed below by March 18, 2013. Sign up will be restricted to one sign up per e-mail. In the event that time does not allow for all those interested to present oral comments, anyone may file written comments using the contact person address below.

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The toll-free number to participate in the teleconference is 877-891-6972. Indicate to the conference operator that your

Participant pass code is" NIH".

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Any interested person may file written comments with the committee by forwarding the statement to the Contact Person listed on this notice. The statement should include the name, address, telephone number and when applicable, the business or professional affiliation of the interested person.

The draft meeting agenda, meeting materials, dial-in information, and other information about the SMRB, will be available at http://smrb.od.nih.gov.

(Catalogue of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.14, Intramural Research Training Award; 93.22, Clinical Research Loan Repayment Program for Individuals from Disadvantaged Backgrounds; 93.232, Loan Repayment Program for Research Generally; 93.39, Academic Research Enhancement Award; 93.936, NIH Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome Research Loan Repayment Program; 93.187, Undergraduate Scholarship Program for Individuals from Disadvantaged Backgrounds, National Institutes of Health, HHS)

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